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## **SPACE BUREAU ANNOUNCES OPEN HOUSE EVENT ON JANUARY 10**

### **Next Transparency Initiative Event to Focus on Earth Station Licensing for New Applicants and New Entrants**

The FCC's Space Bureau today announced the next steps in its transparency initiative for satellite applicants. The transparency initiative will provide user-friendly information and guidance to interested parties about the Commission's procedures and what is needed to obtain authorization for earth station operations.

The Space Bureau's transparency initiative aims to provide resources to support industry engagement with the Commission. The January 10, 2024 event will include an overview of the Commission's earth station licensing processes and timelines, and a review of frequently asked questions and pre-submitted questions. Documents related to earth station licensing are posted on the Space Bureau's Transparency Initiative webpage, available at <https://www.fcc.gov/space/transparency-initiative>. The other documents already posted are on space station part 25 licensing.

**The Space Bureau is seeking questions for it to address in its January 10 Open House.** The Open House will start at 10:30 am ET as an in-person and online event. During this time, Bureau staff will present the guidance documents on earth station licensing, and also review pre-submitted questions. To foster a productive Open House, the Bureau staff respectfully asks interested parties to register and submit questions in advance by sending them to: [satinfo@fcc.gov](mailto:satinfo@fcc.gov). Registration information for the Open House will be available at <https://www.fcc.gov/news-events/events/2024/01/space-bureau-open-house-earth-station-licensing>.